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O R D E R:

The Provincial Harijan Welfare Committee has recommended:

(i) that the Harijan Fund (One-Crore Fund) should be spent on general amenities only and not on education the expenditure on which is already being met by the Government from other Funds;

(ii) that the benefits of the Fund should be confined only to rural areas where the total general population is not more than 5,000 except in Malabar where for special reasons, this limit need not be observed; and

(iii) that the Harijan Welfare work should be undertaken in all districts simultaneously.

2. The Government have carefully considered the above recommendations and the representations made by certain Municipal Councils that the Municipal areas should get the benefit of the Harijan Fund and pass the following orders:

(i) The expenditure from the Harijan Fund (One Crore Fund) need not be confined to general amenities only. The expenditure on scholarships, boarding gran etc., should be met from the general funds upto the extent actually spent during 1948-49 on such items, and any expenditure incurred over the and above this limit in subsequel years should be debited to the Harijan Fund. This will take effect from the current year 1949-50 and the adjustments necessa should be made in the revised Estimates for 1949-1950.

(ii) The benefits of the Harijan Fund should be extended to all rural areas irrespective of their population but the Municipal areas and the area s administered by the Corporation of Madras should be excluded from the benefits of the Fund.

(iii) The Harijan Welfare work should be undertake in all Districts simultaneously.

3. The Director of Harijan Welfare is requested to take ssary action is to implement the above decisions of the Government.

(BY ORDER OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR)

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SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

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The Director of Harijan Welfare.

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